

## COMMERCIAL.

Alexandria Market, May 2, 1870.	
Flour, Superfine	\$ 5 00 @ 5 25
Extra	5 00 @ 5 00
Family	6 25 @ 6 75
Wheat, White prime	0 00 @ 7 00
Good	1 20 @ 1 30
Red, prime	1 30 @ 1 37
Good	1 50 @ 1 25
CORN, White	1 04 @ 1 08
Mixed	1 01 @ 1 03
Yellow	1 02 @ 1 05
CORN MEAL	0 90 @ 1 00
OATS	0 55 @ 0 60
BUTTER, prime	0 25 @ 0 35
Common to middling	0 10 @ 0 15
EGGS	0 20 @ 0 22
IRISH POTATOES	0 30 @ 0 40
LARD	0 15 @ 0 17
ONIONS, weight	1 25 @ 1 60
CLOVER SEED	9 00 @ 10 00
Timothy	7 00 @ 7 25
BACON, Hams, prime country	0 16 @ 0 18
Sides	0 16 @ 0 18
Shoulder	0 16 @ 0 18
APPLES, Dried per lb.	0 05 @ 0 06
Green per bbl.	3 00 @ 4 00
PLASTER, Ground, per ton	9 00 @ 0 00
Ground, in bbls.	1 00 @ 0 00
bags	0 00 @ 0 00
Lard	0 30 @ 0 40
SALT, Grd. Alum (Liverpool)	1 40 @ 1 60
Liverpool fine	2 20 @ 2 40
Turkey Island nominal	0 45 @ 0 50
Wool, Common Unwashed	0 28 @ 0 30
Washed	0 40 @ 0 45
Merino, unwashed	0 28 @ 0 30
Merino, washed	0 40 @ 0 45
BRANS, White	2 00 @ 3 00
SHACAP 100 lbs	1 25 @ 1 50
HAY, per ton from the cars	18 00 @ 20 00

REMARKS.—Flour is steady at last quotations. Wheat less firm; offerings of 214 bushels white and red, with sales of the former at 125—quality not strictly prime—and of the latter at 125 and 137. Corn is active, but in light receipt; small offerings of white, with sales at 107; 105 bushels yellow at 105, and 590 of mixed at 106 and 103. Rye is easy at 108. Oats are unchanged; offerings of 249 bushels, with sales at 65.

## Fish Market for this Day.

Furnished by George W. Harrison & Co., Nos. 36 King st., 50, 51, 53 Fish Wharves	
Shad, fresh, per 100	\$9 00 @ 12 00
Pot Family per bbl new	0 01 @ 14 00
Economy (Dut) per bbl	10 00 @ 0 00
Herring, fresh, per thousand	5 00 @ 0 45
Pat. No. 1, new, per bbl	7 00 @ 8 00
Family	10 00 @ 0 00
per half c	5 50 @ 0 00
Rock and Perch, per bunch	0 10 @ 0 18

REMARKS.—Receipts by some of the agents are now reported to be equal to the demand, and prices have experienced a decline. Some of the lower shores have stopped sending their fish to market, but are packing them. Hall & Chase have "cut out."

## MARINE LIST.

SUN SETS	5 51	MOON SETS	mor'g. 8 28
SUN SETS	6 53	HIGH WATER	ing. 00 00

## PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, MAY 2.

ARRIVED.  
Steamship E. C. Knight, Johnson, New York, to Hoon, Wedderburn & Co.  
Steamship Utility, Anderson, Norwich, and schrs Ed. Slade, Soper, Newburgh; Jesse Clark, Fowler, New York, and Jane L. Newton, Rich, Georgetown, to American Coal Co.

## SAILED.

Schrs Thomas M. Stone, Pervero, Boston, and Ed. Slade, Soper, Jersey City, by American Coal Co.

## MEMORANDA.

Schr E. Nicholson, Withersell, hence at New Haven 27th ultimo.

## CANAL COMMERCE.

## ARRIVALS—TO-DAY.

Boats Jas. Robb, D. Cromwell, Harvey Fish, J. A. Alexander and D. Pomroy, to American Coal Co.  
Boats John G. Lynn, Lions, George Snyder and General Washington, to Hampshire and Baltimore Coal Company.

## DEPARTURES.

Boats J. B. Cazeaux, A. Johnson, Four Brothers, G. A. Pearre, Mollie and Co., Friend, John O'Brien, A. J. Clark, Park Agnew, (see and fish) E. F. Young, C. W. Adams, Gondola No. 4, (fish) Jas. Robb, D. Cromwell, and John G. Lynn, for Cumberland.

## EUREKA!

## SOVEREIGN REMEDY FOR DYSPEPSIA, LIVER COMPLAINT,

## AND

## MALARIAL DISEASES,

## AND THE

## REGULATOR OF THE FEMALE SYSTEM,

## AS CHARLES GAUTIER'S

## NATIVE WINE BITTERS.

For sale by J. JANNEY & CO., and BREWIS & LAWSON, Wholesale and retail agents for Alexandria, and by all Druggists and Grocers, and by CHARLES GAUTIER, 1217 and 1219 Pa. av., Washington, D. C.

## SWEET QUININE

Is a Recent Improvement.

Replace the use of the BITTER SULPHATE QUININE, with which all are familiar.

Dose for dose it is

## WANTED

Fully equal in every way to Bitter Quinine, And, like it, is the one

Great, Positive and Unfailing CURE for all

DISEASES OF MALARIOUS ORIGIN.

Fever and Ague, Intermittent Fever, and all Disorders of the Liver, Bilious Fever, Dumb Ague, and the long train of disorders following these when neglected.

## SWEET QUININE

is made solely from Peruvian Bark (so is Bitter Quinine), therefore it is of Vegetable origin, and not a Mineral Poison, but on the contrary is proved to be one of the elements found in the blood of all healthy persons.

## SWEET QUININE

acts as an antidote to, as well as a cure for, malarial or miasmatic poison, the absorption of which by the lungs causes Intermittent Fevers, etc. The only advantage claimed for

## SWEET QUININE

over the use of old Bitter Quinine is the entire absence of that intense, persistent bitterness, which in the latter is an insurmountable obstacle to its use with most persons, and always with children.

## SWEET QUININE

is in two forms—in Powder, for the use of Physicians and Druggists, and Fluid, for use in the family and for the general public

## STEARNS, FARR &amp; CO.,

Manufacturing Chemists, New York.

## IMPORTANT NOTICE.

I wish to inform the gentlemen that I have the beautiful new

WINDSOR NECKTIE.

Also, some other styles, beautiful and cheap. All the new and popular makes of PAPER COLLARS, all sizes, and WALL STREET CUFFS.

Call and see them; I will sell them at great bargains.

ap 26 Mrs. C. L. SIMPSON.

## LOCAL NEWS.

**ALEXANDRIA LIBRARY.**—The Board of Directors of the Alexandria Library Company announce that they have secured the services of Mr. August Henning as Librarian, and hereafter the Library will be kept open daily from 8½ to 9½ o'clock a. m., and from 5 to 6, and from 8 to 10 o'clock p. m. Invitations are renewed to the citizens—ladies especially—to be come frequent visitors to this comfortable hall, where they will meet a courteous reception, and find papers, periodicals, books—in a word—everything necessary to an evening's agreeable and profitable entertainment. As there are no places of amusement in the city, the "Library Hall" ought to become the centre of attraction for all classes of the community, whether merchant or mechanic, lawyer or physician, man of leisure or laborer. For the youth this is just the place. How much better to pass the evenings here, under the influence of a beneficent literature, than upon the streets. To such of the young men of the city—apprentice boys especially—as are not able to subscribe to the Library, the Board extends a cordial invitation to visit the room, where they will be permitted to read the books free of charge, it being expected to support the institution by the contributions of the more wealthy portion of the community. Truly, the old Library has entered upon a new and vigorous life. May the people duly second the efforts of the present energetic managers in extending the sphere of its usefulness and making it the pride and ornament of the city.

**COUNTY COURT.**—The May term of the County Court for Alexandria county, held under the provisions of the new constitution, Judge R. H. Cokerill presiding, commenced this morning.

The court by virtue of authority vested in it by an act of the General Assembly, passed and approved March 1870, made the following appointments, viz:

Isaiah Fisher, Clerk.

L. C. O'Neal, Sheriff.

The order appointing Isaiah Fisher, Clerk, was rescinded, and Jefferson Tacey appointed Clerk pro tem. As Mr. Fisher was supposed to labor under the disabilities included in the 14th Amendment.

Accounts of the Sheriff and of constables T. J. Edlin and L. I. O'Neal were allowed.

Jas. R. Caton was appointed Deputy Clerk.

F. L. Smith, Jr., and Jas. West were appointed Commissioners in Chancery.

Jacob Ross, colored, was licensed to marry.

Jacob Wassie, was naturalized a citizen of the United States.

Jas. H. Roach, Jefferson Township; G. D. Wybert, Arlington Township; John R. Minor, Washington Township, were appointed registrars of voters.

The court then took a recess until 5 o'clock.

**YESTERDAY**, was a delightful spring day, and large congregations assembled at all the churches. Dr. Ballock commenced his ministerial duties in the Second Presbyterian church.

Rev. Mr. Biting preached in the Baptist church. Dr. Sparrow in Christ church. Rev. Mr. Gardiner preached in St. Paul's church.

The pulpits of the other churches were filled by the resident clergy. In several churches appropriate remarks were made in relation to the late calamity in Richmond.

The Bethel services in the afternoon were well attended. Many strangers from Washington visited the city.

**MEADE CHAPEL.**—The new mission chapel named after the lamented Bishop Meade of this diocese, situated near the canal basin, and built with funds raised through the exertions of Rev. R. H. McKim, rector of Christ Church, having been completed, with the exception of the painting, was yesterday afternoon opened by that gentleman with services conducted in the presence of a large congregation composed principally of the residents of that locality.

**CONFIRMATION.**—Yesterday, the rite of confirmation was administered in a solemn and impressive manner in the three Episcopal Churches, in this place, by Bishop White.

In Grace Church, in the morning, 25 persons were confirmed; in St. Paul's Church, in the afternoon, 25; and at Christ Church, at night 45 persons. The Churches were crowded by interested spectators.

**GOING TO NORFOLK.**—Alexandria is about to lose one of her most energetic and enterprising merchants, Mr. S. Dealham, the extensive clothier, who has leased a store in Norfolk and will remove there as soon as he can wind up his business in this city. The loss of Mr. Dealham will be much regretted in Alexandria, and Norfolk will gain a thrifty, and active citizen.

**FISHING SEASON.**—The fishing season is now drawing to a close. At some of the lower landings, on the Potomac, preparations are being made for "cutting out," in case the run of fish decreases much.

**LOCAL BREVITIES.**—Major Wigg, who some time since received an office in the Internal Revenue service, has been assigned to duty in this city.

One of the dry goods merchants on King street was before the Mayor this morning on the charge of disregarding an ordinance of the corporation, and obstructing the sidewalk with boxes.

A wheelbarrow, marked Monroe & Co., was found early yesterday morning in Market alley. It has not been called for.

The rumor that a man had been robbed of a watch and \$60 near the depot of the A. & L. & H. R. R. on Saturday night last, is, it is supposed, without foundation, as nothing definite can be learned respecting it.

The steamers Keyport and Vanderbilt, of the Aquia Creek line, having been purchased by the R. F. & P. R. R. Co., yesterday commenced running under the management of their new owners. The same officers and crews have been retained.

A youngster named Samuel Wade, while playing base ball on Saturday evening last, near the cracker factory, ran against another boy, fell down, and broke his arm.

The alarm of fire about eight o'clock on Saturday night last was caused by the accidental ignition of some oil in the cellar of the store of Mr. Thomas Lammont, on the corner of Pitt and Royal streets. The flames were extinguished before any damage was done.

The Market will be open all day to-morrow.

The steamer Columbia will hereafter leave here at 6½ instead of 7 o'clock for Baltimore.

## DAY OF HUMILIATION AND PRAYER.—In accordance with the recommendation of the Governor, Wednesday next will be observed throughout the Commonwealth as a day of humiliation and prayer. Business will be every where suspended and the churches opened for divine services. The Mayor of this city has issued a notice, in compliance with the recommendation of the Governor.

## POLICE REPORT.—MAYOR'S OFFICE.—May 2, 1870.

Theriot, on complaint of Charlotte Tailor, both colored, for disorderly conduct, was dismissed upon the payment of costs.

Joseph Lockwood, hailing from Washington, for disorderly conduct, was discharged upon a promise to quit the city forthwith.

Robert Smith, colored, for abusing and maltreating his reputed wife, was fined and discharged.

John Curran, for abusing his wife, was fined and discharged.

MAJESTRATES' OFFICE.—Chief Justice Marshall, col., for striking special policeman Rolles, was bailed in the sum of \$300 security for his appearance at the next term of the court.

WATCH REPORT.—Night clear and temperature moderate. There were no disturbances, no arrests by the watch, and but one lodger at the watch house. If the noise made by some young men on South Washington street is repeated, the attention of the police will be directed that way.

## VIRGINIA RAILROADS AND VIRGINIA PROSPECTS.—The railroad on the West slope of the Alleghenies extending from the Monongahela to the Big Sandy rivers, is by far the largest, the richest, and is destined to become the most valuable in the world. In Europe, nearly all the coal deposits lie beneath the general surface, and far below water level. Deep shafts are sunk at immense cost, to reach them; the mines are then ventilated and drained as they are being worked, only after the most astonishing outlays. On the Kanawha and collateral valleys, the coal crops out of the hill sides in veins from 5 to 12 feet thick, far above water level, and can be dumped into the cars by the force of gravity, for merely nominal cost, and carried thence to wherever it is needed. A few miles eastward of this immense store of coal, on the eastern slope of the Alleghenies, are found inexhaustible deposits of iron ores of the best quality. The Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad, now in course of construction from the navigable waters of the James River, to the river navigation of the Mississippi Valley, the greater part of which is already in operation, crosses both the iron fields and the coal fields, and unites them to the seaboard on the one hand and the Great West on the other. Nearly 7,000 men are employed upon this great work, and it will not be many months before the cars will travel continuously from Memphis, Saint Louis or Chicago, to and from these great iron and coal deposits, and if need be, on to the navigation of the Atlantic at Richmond.

These natural advantages, together with the encouraging rush of immigration now finding its way to Virginia and West Virginia, will give to these States a vast wealth and industry, the completion of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad itself will set free a wonderful amount of latent power, and is to rank as one of the most important works of improvement now in progress.

The Loan of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad Company, which is announced elsewhere in our columns, by the well known Banking firm, Fisk & Hatch, of New York, it will be seen is being steadily absorbed for investments. These Bonds have several features of convenience and security not hitherto found combined. To all persons contemplating investments of capital, or the exchange of securities, their remarks will be of special interest.

## MAYOR'S OFFICE.

ALEXANDRIA, Va., May 2, 1870.

His Excellency the Governor of the State having recommended that

WEDNESDAY NEXT, 4th inst., be observed by all the people of the Commonwealth as a day of humiliation and prayer, on account of the recent afflictive disaster at Richmond, Va. I order that the market and Corporation offices be closed on that day, and recommend that the day be religiously observed.

NOTICE—2d. WM. N. BERRY, Mayor.

## NOTICE—FIRST NAT. BANK.

ALEXANDRIA.

The Governor of Virginia having recommended that

WEDNESDAY, May 4th, as a day of humiliation and prayer, this Bank will be closed to business. Notes falling due on that day are required to be paid on Tuesday, 3d.

may 2-11 CHAS. R. HOOFF, Cashier.

## MARKET NOTICE.

In accordance with instructions from the Mayor the Market will be opened all day to-morrow, Tuesday, the 3d inst.

THOMAS WHITTINGTON, Clerk of Market.

## NOTICE.

I would announce that the business of BREWIS & LAWSON will be continued as heretofore, and solicit the continued confidence and support of our friends.

may 2-11 R. M. LAWSON, Surviving Partner.

## TRY OUR

BOSTON BISCUIT.

Now at the grocers.

GEORGE R. HILL & CO., Alexandria, Va.

## MORE CASSIMERES AND CLOTHS.

We are again receiving Cassimeres and Cloths. Our very large sales in these goods this season we think justify us in saying that they are as good styles and as cheap as they can be bought anywhere.

ap 29 WITMER & SLAYMAKER.

## TRY OUR

BOSTON BISCUIT.

Now at the grocers.

GEORGE R. HILL & CO., Alexandria, Va.

## FLOUR FLOUR!

150 lbs Joseph Manph's Family.

100 lbs J. W. Geo. Extra.

200 lbs London Mills do.

100 lbs London Mills Family and Extra—besides other mixed brands. For sale by

THOMAS PERRY, 15 King street.

## THE LITTLE GEM.

NEW STYLE HOOP SKIRTS.

7½ inches circumference.

These are made for our house of the best materials, at greatly reduced prices.

ap 29-1 W R. L. WOOD.

## NOTICE—ALEXANDRIA CANAL CO.

The annual general meeting of the Alexandria Canal Company will be held in the chamber of the Board of Aldermen, in the city of Alexandria, on THURSDAY, May 2d, at 12 o'clock m.

ap 4-10 P. G. UHLER, Clerk.

The steamer WAWASEE will leave Alexandria for an excursion to GLENTON, on THURSDAY, the 5th of May, at 6½ p. m.

ap 20-1 J. H. SHAFIELD.

## WE HAVE SOME VERY VALUABLE CITY PROPERTY FOR SALE.

BECK, KNOX & KERRY, 97 King st., Alex., Va.

## HOOP-KIRTS.

The latest styles just received at

ap 29 WITMER & SLAYMAKER'S.

## TELEGRAPHIC.

(SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE GAZETTE.)

## FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, May 2—3 p. m. CONGRESS.

In the Senate, to-day, Mr. Johnston presented the usual batch of memorials for the removal of disabilities.

Mr. Sawyer introduced a bill authorizing claimants against the United States, whose claims have arisen subsequent to the war, to prosecute the same in the Court of Claims without proof of loyalty—referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The House of Representatives passed, 86 to 63, a bill giving Mrs. Lincoln a pension of \$3,000 per annum.

## The McFarland Trial.

NEW YORK, May 2.—Owing to the scene on Friday afternoon, and the fact that Mrs. Calhoun was to be called, the trial is more crowded than ever. Luther Horton was the first witness. He is a deputy United States marshal; knew McFarland in 1863. Found him intoxicated in the street and unable to walk. Took him home in a carriage.

James Gamble, a resident of Woodside, N. J., testified that the prisoner came into the store the week before the shooting, and asked where Richardson lived. The prisoner related his family troubles, and said he should shoot Richardson on sight.

Mr. Myerson, of Woodside, testified that shortly before the shooting McFarland inquired from him where Richardson lived. Noticed no excitement or irrational talk on the part of the prisoner. The cross examination of these witnesses elicited nothing new.

## From Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 2.—The Courier Journal publishes Governor Stevenson's reply to Senator McCrory. It fills three columns, comprising his letter to representative Jones and documentary evidence to sustain his statement. The document excites much attention.

Messrs James and Proctor, who were wounded in an attempt to arrest two desperadoes named Shy at Glasgow Junction, died to-day.

## Deaths.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 2.—Samuel S. Ward, formerly superintendent of the New York House of Refugees, and late superintendent of the Western House of Refuge in this city, died this morning of apoplexy.

RETARD, Vt., May 2.—Henry R. Haasford, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Vermont, of the I. O. O. F., died at Pawlet to-day.

## Extensive Fire.

EVANSVILLE, IND., May 2.—Conkle and Tweed's planing mills, with five dwellings, were burned on Saturday. Loss \$50,000; half insured.

## The Markets.

NEW YORK, May 2.—Stocks heavy and unsettled. Money easy at 6½ per cent. Gold 15½. Virginia 6½, coupon 69½; new 69½. Flour 54½. Wheat 101. Corn dull and unchanged.

BALTIMORE, May 2.—Virginia: sizes, old, 6½ bid, 6½ asked; do. 1865 6½ bid; do. 1867 6½ bid, 6½ asked; do. coupon, old, 69 bid, 70½ asked. Cotton dull at 22½-22½. Flour firm and advanced 25c. Wheat: firm; Maryland 14½ bid; Pennsylvania arriving at 14½. Corn firm; white 112½-114; yellow 112. Oats steady at 62½.

## CITY ITEMS.

JUST RECEIVED—A large lot of Ladies' and Gents' Trunks and Satchels, which will be sold very low. C. S. DEALHAM'S, 91 King street.

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S. DEALHAM, having just returned from the North, his stock of Clothing and Goods is now complete and before brought to this market. Some of it is composed of the finest of French and other imported fabrics, and all the latest styles are represented in their fullest scope. Call early at his house, 91 King street, and you will sell your goods most reasonably.

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STOVES STORED AND REPAIRED during the summer at the TIN and STOVE store of THOMAS HOY